

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 10 with the following new paragraph: -

- - The U.S. government may have rights in this invention due to partial support from the National Science Foundation (IBN-9630779). This application is a divisional of U.S. Ser. No. 09/661,960 filed September 14, 2000, which claims priority to U.S. provisional application serial no. 60/154,158 filed September 15, 1999 - -